

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:

WANG, et al.

Serial No. 09/817,869

Filed: March 26, 2001

DROUGHT TOLERANT PLANTS AND METHODS OF INCREASING DROUGHT

TOLERANCE IN PLANTS

Docket No. 30509

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

## **STATEMENT**

Rule 1.821(f) requires a Statement to the effect that the contents of the Sequence Listing and the Computer Readable Form are the same. Such is the case for the Sequence Listing and the CD-ROM that accompany this Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

By

Tracey S. Truitt, Reg. No. 43,205 2405 Grand Boulevard, Suite 400 Kansas City, Missouri 64108

816/474-9050

ATTORNEYS FOR APPLICANT(S)

(Docket No. 30509)

RECEIVED

AUG 2 3 2002

OFFICE OF PETITIONS